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# School Committee's Report

Annual report of the School Committee of the Town of Hamilton, 1904-1905:

### ORGANIZATION

GEORGE K. KNOWLTON, Chairman,	Term	expires	1907
EVERETT A. SMITH, Secretary,	6 6	6.6	1905
REV. JESSE G. NICHOLS, Purchasing Agent,	" "	" "	1906

Andrew S. Thomson, Superintendent.
J. C. Underhill, Truant Officer.

# Report

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

(Closed Feb. 13, 1905)

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Amount	t appropri <mark>a</mark> ted	for schools,	\$ 5,400	00		
6.6	"	High school pupils,	2,195	00		
6.6	6.6	transportation of scholars	, 1,300	00		
6.6	6 6	painting school houses,	500	00		
6 6	6 6	insurance,	50	00		
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	vn appropriati	on,		\$9	,445	00
Dog	g licenses,				279	57
Rec	ceived from St	ate on account of Superin	tendent	,	250	00
Rec	ceived from Cit	ty of Boston for tuition of	scholar	s,	20	00

### PAID TEACHERS

Miss Effie E. Beal,	\$ 394	64
" Mary E. Batchelder,	513	15
" Carrie E. Robie,	390	00
" Eva C. Sanborn,	436	02
" Annie W. Chase,	390	00
" Nellie G. Cutting,	240	00
" Grace B. Orne,	390	00
Mrs. Grace C. Stone,	390	00
Miss Harriet E. Boynton,	324	99
" Abbie E. Stetson,	102	00
" Marguerite L. Foster,	120	00
'' Julia Goldman,	55	00
" Annie L. Stevens,	30	00
Mrs. M. Eva Robinson,	73	80

\$3,849 60

# PAID FOR CARE OF SCHOOLHOUSES

Fred C. Shaller,	\$ 385 00
Sylvester Day,	22 10
Frank H. Poole,	20 50
Charles J. Wright,	18 00
James B. Hart,	19 40

\$465 00

## PAID FOR FUEL

Charles S. Gwinn,	\$ 298	37
John Girdler,	100	00
The Pickett Coal Co.,	27	90
William A. Smith,	20	50
Isaac F. Knowlton,	51	00
M. K. Patch,	8	12
J. Lamson,	4	00

\$509 89

### PAID FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

J. L. Hammett Co.,	\$ 222	95
D. C. Heath & Co.,	38	47
Ginn & Co.,	III	90
American Book Co.,	92	83
George F. King & Co.,	20	32
Silver, Burdette & Co.,	20	40
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	10	20
Educational Publishing Co.,	I 2	00
Edward W. Babb & Co.,	7	2 I
M. Eva Robinson,	9	86

\$546 14

### MISCELLANEOUS

Charles A. Peterson, stock and labor on school-		
houses, \$	133	75
Arthur C. Cummings, carriage, freight and		
expressage,	67	58
F. C. Shaller, schoolroom supplies,		40
Robert Robertson Co., stove work, Centre School,	7	70
F. P. Trussell, stock and labor, North School,	15	94
Almy, Bigelow & Washburn, schoolroom supplies,	14	58
Citizen Printing Co., printing,	7	30
F. A. Smith, use of Hamilton Hall,	5	00
O. F. Brown, writing diplomas,	2	00
James B. Hart, labor at West schoolhouse,	4	25
E. J. Rollins, schoolroom supplies,	2	00
J. W. Hayes, cleaning clocks,	I	50
Zina Goodell, repairing steam pump,	15	53
C. H. Batchelder, schoolroom supplies,	I	25
E. S. Burnham, printing,	6	25
E. E. Beal, graduation supplies,	3	00
A. S. Thomson, car fare, postage, etc.,	7	68
J. F. Porter, glass and setting,	I	00

George C. Ryerson, glass and setting,	\$	50	,
Sylvester Day, labor and expressage,	ΙI	00	
Mrs. Lucy Channel, work at Center School,	4	25	
Mrs. R. Bridges, "North"	3	00	
J. C. Underhill, truant officer work,	4	95	
A. B. Chadwick, labor at West schoolhouse,		8o	
Wendell W. Dodge, labor at West schoolhouse,	I	05	
Fred E. Adams, labor at West schoolhouse,	I	50	
W. H. Austin, painting blackboard,	I	00	
Everett A. Smith, hardware,	I	00	
F. C. Norton, schoolroom supplies,	4	81	
J. G. Nichols, purchasing agent,	15	00	
" " expressage and cash paid out,	12	02	
George K. Knowlton, repairs and cash paid out,	ΙI	18	
" taking school census,	IO	00	
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		\$378	77
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL	OLS		
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL Paid Andrew S. Thomson,	OLS	\$320	00
		\$320	00
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,		\$320 \$1,300	
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars,			
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars, Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co.,  \$6	ARS	\$1,300	
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars, Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co., Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co.,	ARS	\$1,300	
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars, Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co., Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co.,	ARS	\$1,300	
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars, Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co., Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co., Frank Dane	ARS  615 05  215 00  220 00	\$1,300	
Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL  Appropriation for transportation of scholars,  Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co.,  Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co.,  Frank Dane  James B. Hart,  George M. Adams,  Albert I. Whipple,	ARS  515 05 215 00 220 00 25 00	\$1,300	
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Paid Andrew S. Thomson,  TRANSPORTATION OF SCHOL Appropriation for transportation of scholars,  Paid Boston & Maine Railroad Co., Boston & Northern Street Ry. Co., Frank Dane James B. Hart, George M. Adams, Albert L. Whipple, J. F. Tucker,	ARS  515 05 215 00 220 00 25 00 19 80 8 40 + 50	\$1,300	78

### HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Appropriation for tuition of scholars, Paid City of Beverly, City of Salem, Town of Ipswich,	\$1,400 00 575 00 120 00	\$2,195	
		\$2,095	00
Balance unexpended,		\$100	00
SPECIAL APPROPRIA	TIONS		
For painting schoolhouses,		\$500	00
Paid Alfred T. Poole, paint'g South schoolhe	ouse \$170 00		
" Centre "	70 00		
" " West "	50 00		
" " East "	50 00		
" extra work,	8 25		
Salem News Co., advertising,	2 25		
Geo. K. Knowlton, extra time and ex	xpense, 3 oo		
		\$353	50
Balance unexpended,		\$146	50
INSURANCE			
For insurance of school houses,		\$50	00
Paid W. F. Trowt, agent,		52	50
Exceeding appropriation,		\$2	50
This insurance is placed as follows:			
On Centre schoolhouse,	\$ 900 00		
North "	700 00		
West ''	700 00		
East	700 00		
		\$3,000	00

In the Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,
Cambridgeport, Mass.,
\$1,500 00

In the Dorchester Mutual Fire Insurance Co.,

Boston, Mass., 1,500 00

Full amount of insurance,

\$3,000 00

For three years—from May 12, 1904 to May 12, 1907.

### GROSS RECEIPTS FOR ALL SCHOOL PURPOSES

Appropriation	for schools in town,	\$5,400	00		
. 4	tuition High School scholars	3, 2,195	00		
6.6	transportation of scholars,	1,300	00		
Special approp	priations,	550	00		
Dog licenses,		279	57		
From state on	account of Superintendent,	250	00		
" City of	Boston, tuition for scholars,	20	00		
				59,994	57

### GROSS EXPENSE FOR ALL SCHOOL PURPOSES

Paid for teachers,	\$3,849	60		
Care of school houses,	465	00		
Fuel,	509	89		
School supplies,	546	14		
Miscellaneous,	378	77		
Superintendent of Schools.	320	00		
Tuition High School pupils,	2,095	00		
Transportation of scholars.	1,112	78		
Painting schoolhouses,	353	50		
Insurance,	52	50		
		-	\$9,683	18
Balance unexpended,			\$311	39

### PUPILS ATTENDING HIGH SCHOOLS

For the year ending June, 1905

BEVERLY

Tuition per pupil, \$50.00 To graduate June, 1905

Bernice J. Andrews Clara E. Chandler Lillian A. McGlauflin Gertrude K. Weston Sylvia Robinson Hazel E. Weston Helen H. Dodge

Clara D. Haraden Mabel L. Peterson Myra A. Sawyer Rua A. Chandler Charita W. Vennard Catherine J. McDonald Elsie M. Peterson Ernest S. Berry Wallace H. Knowlton Joseph L. Roberts Finlay D. McDonald George I. Dodge Mercy G. Abbott Arthur E. Radmore Edward H. Haraden Martha W. Dodge

May C. Wright Bertha M. Durkee Leverett L. Durkee John P. Smith Ella W. Chandler Annie F. Crosby Mary E. Potter Elizabeth A. Robinson Rosetta P. Jones Arthur M. Cummings Chester B. Gibney Bligh C. McGlauflin Frank H. Tuck Edward S. Vennard Harry W. Smith Lawrence E. Striley

Richard H. Hichens, first half of year Elizabeth M. Babcock " "

Ethel E. Crocker, last half of year

### SALEM

Tuition per pupil, \$50.00

Laura M. Goodridge Nellie C. Goodridge Florence W. Goodridge Myrtle A. Small Lester M. Whipple Walter E. Cheever

Mae E. Schaller Morley E. Hollingshead, first half of year

IPSWICH
Tuition \$40.00
Randall E. Adams

### ESTIMATE FOR SCHOOLS

Following is an estimate of the amount of money that will be needed for all public school purposes for the year 1905-6:

For Town Public schools, Pupils attending High school, Transportation of scholars, \$5,455 00 2,500 00 940 00

\$8,895 co

### REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER

To the School Committee of Hamilton:

Gentlemen:—In submitting my report as Truant Officer I have to say that I have attended to sixteen cases of truancy in the South School district including Asbury Grove and the Golf Grounds.

### Respectfully submitted,

J. C. UNDERHILL,

Truant Officer.

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Hamilton, Feb. 13, 1905.

Increase of scholars

### SCHOOL CENSUS

Whole number of children in town between 5 and 15 years of age, September 1, 1904, Boys 146 Girls 136 282 Between 7 and 14 years of age, Boys 102 Girls 97 199 Whole number September 1, 1904, 282 1, 1903, 255

### SCHOOL CALENDAR

1905-1906

March 10. All schools close for Spring vacation.

Thirteen weeks in term

March 20. All schools open for Spring term.

June 16. All schools close for Summer vacation.

Thirteen weeks in term Summer vacation

September 3. All schools open for Fall term.

November 29. All schools close for Thanksgiving vacation.

Thirteen weeks in term

December 4. All schools open for Winter term.

December 15. All schools close for Christmas vacation.

January 1. All schools open.

March 16. All schools close for Spring vacation.

Thirteen weeks in term

March 26. All schools open for Spring term.

June 15. All schools close for Summer vacation.

In making our annual report we are pleased to record a year of progressive work in the schools. Superintendent and committee have been fully cognizant of the necessity of hard work during the year on the part of both teachers and pupils.

At the opening of the school year the committee decided that all scholars in the grammar school in the ninth grade be required to qualify for Beverly tenth grade.

Any scholars failing in this will not be graduated but may remain in the school another year.

This course is necessary for our scholars to graduate from Beverly High School in four years. But it demands some strenuous preparation, especially in the ungraded schools, to accomplish this work.

Attention is called to the increase in the number of children of school age, as shown by the last school census. Should there

be an approximate increase during the next few years it will be absolutely necessary to make an addition to the South school building or to erect a High school building that could be used for all scholars above the eighth grade.

At the present time the outlook seems to indicate a continued increase in the population of the town, and consequently the probable necessity for enlarged school accommodations at no very distant day.

Four school houses, outbuildings and fences have been painted and the West school buildings have also been shingled, so that all the school property is now in good condition and will need no material outlay during the present year.

A small amount of money can very wisely be used in putting in an additional water tank in the South school house as the one now in use is too small for the needs of the building. The committee would recommend an appropriation of \$100.00 for this purpose.

For the work and condition of the schools in detail reference is made to the report of the Superintendent.

GEORGE K. KNOWLTON, School JESSE G. NICHOLS, EVERETT A. SMITH, Committee.

### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

GENTLEMEN OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

I have the honor to submit to you my third annual report as superintendent of schools. This report will consist in giving an account of they ear's work and in suggesting work which will be for the advancement and progress of the schools of the town. It is well to keep in mind that the statistical tables of attendance are for the school year ending last June, but the general report takes up the work of the calendar year ending last December.

Last June closed a remarkably successful year in our school work. There were eighteen pupils graduated from our grammar school, fourteen of whom were recommended to enter the tenth grade at Beverly. The few who were not prepared for this grade entered the ninth. Every pupil who goes into the tenth grade saves the town a year's tuition and transportation. An examination of the record which our pupils have made so far indicates that we shall be able to prepare our pupils for Beverly's tenth grade and thus have them complete the high school course in four years. Our greatest difficulty is with pupils who come from the district schools to the ninth grade. It is next to impossible to prepare the average pupil in the district schools as well as we can in the better graded school in the south end of the town. A few bright pupils will always be found in district schools who will progress rapidly without much individual assistance from the teacher, in fact these may gain self reliance by what would be the average pupil's discouragement and detriment. But by far the larger proportion of the pupils need the personal attention of their teacher which cannot be given in a school of many grades. seems to me wise wherever it can be done with economy to transport the eighth grade pupils to the South school. It is economy

to do this if we can prepare them to enter the tenth rather than the ninth grade. I am positive that this can be done with pupils who have the better facilities of the South School for two years.

There is another difficulty which is urging itself upon the town. The South School building is becoming very much over crowded. The primary room, in which are taught the first and second grades, has numbered over fifty pupils all the year, which necessitated the employment of an assistant teacher who has used the basement and halls as class rooms. This is not a satisfactory arrangement but it offers the only relief possible. Although the Grammar room, in which are taught the eighth and ninth grades, is not full there is not space to put the seventh comfortably in this room, and moreover if we could do so this arrangement would be a serious mistake as it would overcrowd the room and hamper the grammar teacher in her already difficult task of preparing pupils for the high school. Every other room in the building is filled to its capacity.

The need of the south end of the town for increased school accommodation and the large expense to which the town is put by sending pupils out of town to High School has brought out the question. "Would it be wise for Hamilton to have a high school of its own?" Some of the advantages and disadvantages of a local high school may well be pointed out. If we had a high school of our own we could not hope to have so expensively and amply equipped a building as Beverly's or Salem's. Those schools have physical and chemical laboratories which cost several thousand dollars. Their means of teaching the commercial branches are elaborate and expensive. They have high salaried and experienced teachers. The argument however is not all on that side. Hamilton could have good teachers and have a fairly well equipped school when the building was once constructed for the money it is now paying. A high school in a town gives a certain caste to a town, lends local interest, and arouses public spirit. Pupils give their loyalty and interest to the town in which they

are educated. Likewise this would avoid attending evils of so much travelling on cars and trains.

### PROGRESS

The people of the town can look with a good deal of pride upon their schools. There have come to my attention many commendatory remarks by strangers who have visited our schools. A member of the State Board of Education who visited our schools spoke with praise of the work of our teachers and the equipment of our schools. A step in advance has been made this year in the work of drawing. This work is now being systematized and enthused by a special teacher of drawing. We were fortunate in securing a teacher who can supervise both drawing and music.

### READING

The comprehensive system of reading is being used by most of the teachers. This system does away with the excessive use of diacritical marks of the former system and in their place the rules which govern the sound of letters are given. The children are thus able to get new words unassisted. The articulation of the children has improved and there has been a gain in fluency. We have increased our supply of reading material considerably and are now well equipped with historical and geographical readers. There is still a need of some good literature for the higher grades. We aim to inculcate a taste for good reading and the Town Library has assisted materially in this excellent work by buying and loaning to the teachers the proper reading material for the use of the children.

### GEOGRAPHY

The tendency of the study of geography has shifted of late years from a description of the earth's surface to the study of man

and the earth as his abiding place. The great aim of geography is threefold: to increase an appreciation of man's customs and conditions; to infuse a knowledge of natural obstacles to be overcome and resources to be discovered before nature's laws can be made useful to man; to cultivate the ability to locate places, noted and interesting because of their contribution to history, science or art. We have based our course of study upon the old principle to "proceed from the known to the unknown," so that the child studies geographically, historically and politically, first his home town, then his state, his country, his continent, his hemisphere, the world as a whole. Instead of trying to memorize the names of all mountains, rivers and cities, a detailed study of a few places is made and these are considered as typical of others. To make these types more vivid the imagination should be assisted by specimens, pictures, maps, map drawing and geographical readers. Our work in geography has been much strengthened by the use of Carpenter's Geographical Readers to supplement the text books.

### PENNY SAVINGS

Last spring the W. C. T. U. started the Penny Savings System in the South School. This is a work that should be encouraged and promoted by parents and teachers. Mrs. S. W. Barrett, who was appointed to visit the schools and receive the pennies has kindly made a report which I incorporate with pleasure in this report.

To the Superintendent of Schools,

DEAR SIR:—In presenting the report of the School Savings System I wish to explain the fact that owing to delays, the beginning of the experiment in the South Hamilton district was not at the opening of the school year as its promoters desired, but in April at the opening of the spring term. The enthusiasm which was so marked in the early weeks of that term was interrupted by the summer vacation.

In the estimation of its friends the experiment has proved a success, and might well be followed in every district of the town. Thanks are due to the teachers for the attention and courtesy given to the Superintendent and their co-operation in her plans. Most of the work has been done by the first four grades and fully two-thirds of money withdrawn has been deposited in banks. The following financial statement will show the results:

Money invested by W. C. T. U.	\$ 15.00
Expense	4.13
Total	\$ 19.13
Number of depositors	114
Amount deposited	\$ 127.71
Respectfully	

Respectfully,

S. W. BARRETT.

Hamilton, Jan. 21, 1905.

### CHANGE OF TEACHERS

There were few changes in our corps of teachers last summer. Miss Effie E. Beal, who had so ably and energetically taught the South Grammar School, resigned at the close of the school year in June. The committee were very desirous of retaining Miss Beal's services but did not feel that they could pay the increase of salary to keep her. Miss Boynton, a Normal graduate and a teacher of experience, was secured for the school and is meeting with good success. Miss Nellie Cutting of the East School is out at present on a year's leave of absence to attend Salem Normal School. Miss Foster of Weymouth has been hired for the East School during the present year. Mrs. Eva Robinson, our music teacher, was unable to take charge of the music this year and Miss Julia Goldman of Salem is supervising both music and drawing.

### TEACHERS' MEETINGS

During the fall union teachers' meetings of the teachers of Hamilton and Wenham were held weekly at the South School building. Besides discussion upon regular school work a study of the History of Education was taken up. The lively interest and active participation of the teachers in these meetings speaks well of their ability and ambition.

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to the teachers for their responsiveness to suggestion and fidelity to their work; and to the committee for their businesslike manner of conducting school affairs and their kindly consideration in all personal dealings.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW S. THOMSON,

Superintendent of Schools.

### Report of the Supervisor of Drawing

Hamilton; Feb. 1, 1905.

TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

The work in drawing, or more broadly speaking the study of art, was introduced into the schools only a few months ago. It is very gratifying indeed to note the interest and enthusiasm that accompanies the successive lessons from week to week. This is in itself a sufficient proof that the art training is a very important factor in the education of the child.

It not only gives the pupil an added power of expresion, for drawing is as truly a language as the written or spoken word,

but also enriches the life of the individual by revealing to him the beauty of color and form in a way that no other study can.

In the higher grades, during the last few weeks, special lessons on applied design have been given and the work is still in progress. The purpose of these lessons is to lead to an appreciation of beauty in arrangement of lines and masses, and also to stimulate the inventive faculties of the student. The few elementary lessons on color which preceded this work was also applied to the lessons on design.

The work planned for the various schools for the present year was outlined to include as broad a course as possible. Drawing is studied under these three topics:—structure, enrichment and appearance; (1) structure, comprising measurment, geometry, projection, development, and structural design; (2) enrichment, including color, historic ornament and design; (3) appearance consisting of model and object drawing, nature drawing, color and picture study.

It is to be regretted that the lack of necessary material prevents the carrying out of all these branches of the subject. The schools are very much in need of better brushes and water colors. A small collection of artistic pottery, for use in the free hand object drawing, has also been suggested to the superintendent and members of the committee.

One of the great values of the study of art in the schools, is found in its relation to the other branches of the school curriculum, nature study, literature, history, science, etc. It is only right that we should always keep the highest ideals before the students from childhood to youth to instill a love and appreciation of the beautiful and true, and thus uplift and enoble the character of the individual and enrich his whole life.

I wish to thank the superintendent for his untiring efforts in securing the proper equipment for the work and for his interest in establishing this course of study in the schools. To the members of the committee. I also wish to tender thanks for their kind support and active interest in the work. My relations with the

teachers have been of the most cordial character, and I wish to express my appreciation of the faithful and cheerful way in which my suggestions have been carried out.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA GOLDMAN,

Report of the Supervisor of Music

Hamilton, Feb. 1, 1905.

Supervisor of Drawing.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Though I have had the pleasure of supervising the work in Music for only a few months, I am free to say without reserve that notwithstanding the excellent condition in which I found the work the interest and progress is steadily increasing.

The series of music readers and charts that are in present use in the various schools are good, but need to be supplemented by new material. This would give more life, a keener interest in the work, and a greater variety, which is so indispensable a feature in any good course of study.

I am glad to say that there is a marked improvement in the tone quality, and in the facility to read music at sight. In presenting the principles of time, tone and technique, the aim has been to employ such principles of musical theory as would not only facilitate the reading of music, but inspire artistic song singing, and also promote that keener enjoyment of the art which comes only through an understanding of the principles underlying it.

The ends to be secured by the teaching of music in the schools have been no better set forth than by a certain leading musical reader in a recent article. He formulates the proposition as follows:

"To develop and make permanent the fundamental cognitions upon which the mature enjoyment of music depends, such as rhythm, tonality, intensity, tone-quality, and the inner realization of melodic beauty and harmonic force.

To form emotional habits congenial to culture, through the frequent experience of moods characteristics of the soul's best moments, masterly expressed by poet and composer.

To open to the young the world of song, by sympathetic experience of the songs sung during school life, and by complete technical mastery of the written language of music, whereby the whole world of melodic beauty is opened for a life-time possession.

To give honored place in the pantheon of immortals to the names and ideals of those who have most blessed their fellow men through the medium of the art of music; such as Mozart, Mendelsolm, Beethoven, Schubert, Schumann, Handel, Hayden, etc."

I herewith wish to thank the Superintendent and members of the Committee for their active interest in the work and for their generous support. To the teachers of the various schools, whose keen interest and hearty co-operation has made such progress possible, I also tender sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA GOLDMAN,

Supervisor of Music.

# TEACHERS, SALARIES, SCHOOLS, ETC.

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Where Educated	Salem Normal  High Sch. and Summer Sch. Sanborn Seminary Lancaster Academy Framingham Normal Ipswich High School  Quincy Training School Weymouth High School	Xo, 0ver 15	<u> </u>	11
	al minary caden n Not gh Sci ming High	Zo, between 7 and 14	13 40 39 17 16 20 20 17	188
	Norm Sch. an Sein Sein Ster A ster A ngham h Hig y Trai	Zo, between	19 40 39 56 23 19 29 29	250
	Salem Normal High Sch. and Summe Sanborn Seminary Lancaster Academy Framingham Normal Ipswich High School Quincy Training Sch	Average per et, attendance	95 95 91 92 90 90 91	92
\$600 \\ \frac{\$500}{425}		Ауетауе ээлвриэйда	27 34 44 44 16 16 16	217
	#	Average membership	29 33 36 44 17 17 18	245
September, 1904 Grade	VI and V III and IV I and II I—VIII I—VIII I—VIII	Xo, girls enrolled	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	129
	VIII—IX V, VI and VI III and II I — VIII I—VIII I—VIII I—VIII I—VIII	Zo. boys enrolled	15 12 13 32 15 14 14	133
Septer	iate ary	Zo, enrolled	30 40 39 57 23 19 20 25	262
School	South Grammar South Intermediate So. Upper Primary South Primary Center School North School West School	gsys Months and	0000000 777700000	
Same	nton Bachelder amborn Robie Chase Stone me	School Attendance for the year 1903 and 1904	South Grammar South Upper Primary South Upper Primary North School Hast School West School Center School	Total

### ROLL OF HONOR

The numbers indicate the number of terms the pupils have not been absent or tardy.

### SOUTH GRAMMAR

Frank Burton 2
Percy Burton 1
Ella Chandler 1
Frank Day 2
Martha Dodge 2
Bertha Durkee 1
Mary Potter 2

Elizabeth Robinson 1
Mae Schaller 2
Myrtle Small 1
Mary Wright 2
Hepsy Roberts 1
Frank Tuck 1

### HAMILTON CENTER

Gordon Gren I Ida Adams I Lawrence Adams I Elsie Adams I Helen Sweeney 2 Thayer Haraden 1 Ralph Haraden 1 Martha Cool 1

### EAST SCHOOL

Martha Berry 2 Ralph Berry 2 Joseph Tucker 1 Mabel Upham I Alice Colesworthy 2

### SOUTH PRIMARY

Harold Dodge I Charles Dodge I Clara Frear 2 Waldic Kolosky I John McGinley I Daniel McGinley I Austin Miller I Gertrude McGarry I Gustaf Sanliner

Margaret Sculley 2
Mary Sculley 1
Helen Smith 1
Marion Smith 2
James Spencer 1
Myrtle Tinkham 1
Alice Hallett 1
Freda Eckert 1
George Sonia 1

### · North School

Harry Blaisdell 2	Margaret Faherty	I
Ralph Wright 1	Harold Stone 1	
Nellie Evans 2	John E. Cox 1	
Lester Durkee 1	Francis W. Dane	I
Agnes Wright 1		

### SOUTH SECOND PRIMARY

Florence Cummings	I	Norman Gibney	, I
Clarine Gibney 2		Ralph Hayes	
Lizzie Dodge 1		Dortha Smith	2
Wendall Hall 1		Olive Conrad	[
Thomas Jones 1		Ruth Cross I	
Furber Libby 2		Mary Sanlnier	I
Willie McGarry 1			

### South Intermediate

Marian Jones 1	Ruby Hayes 1
Florence Schaller 1	Martha Cross 1
Ritchie Small 1	Evelyn Gould 2
Elenor Peterson I	Eleanor Robinson 2
Pauline Chandler 1	Romie Mears 2
Rufus Barrett 1	*Dorothy Libby 3

Star indicates that pupil has not been tardy.



